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FM AMEMBASSY BUDAPEST

TO AMEMBASSY BUCHAREST

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TAGS: AFSP, AMGT, HU

SUBJ: GOH PROPOSED CONTROL OF LOCAL EMPLOYEES

REF: BUCHAREST 6463

- 1. GOH'S DIPLOMATIC SERVICE DIRECTORATE (DSD) REFERS JOB APPLICANTS TO EMBASSY AND ISSUES AND RENEWS EMPLOYEES' WORK PERMITS. BY NOT RENEWING WORK PERMIT OR BY WITHDRAWING IT, DSD CAN AND DOES OCCASIONALLY TERMINATE AN EMBASSY EMPLOYEE.
- 2. THE EMBASSY PAYS SALARIES DIRECTLY TO EMPLOYEES. DSD INFORMS ALL DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS OF CHANGES IN GOH LAW, E.G. GENERAL WAGE INCREASES, CHANGES IN STANDARD WORKWEEK.
- 3. WORK CONTRACTS ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL EMPLOYEES, EXCEPT RETIRED PERSONS. EMBASSY COMPLETES THE CONTRACT BY LISTING "DUTIES TO BE PERFORMED"; CONTRACTS ARE THEN SIGNED BY EMPLOYEE, EMBASSY, TRADE UNION, AND DSD.

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4. DSD DOES NOT SET SALARIES OF OFFICE AND SUPERVISORY

EMPLOYEES, BUT "ADVISES" THE JOB APPLICANT WHAT TO REQUEST. DSD DOES NOT NORMALLY INTERFERE FURTHER WITH OFFICE OR SUPERVISORY EMPLOYEES, AT LEAST IN THIS AREA.

- 5. DSD REQUIREMENTS FOR NON-CLERICAL EMPLOYEES (INCLUDING CHAUFFEURS, HOUSEHOLD SERVANTS, LABORERS, MAINTENANCE AND CHAR PERSONNEL) ARE SPECIFIED IN WRITING: MINIMUM SLARIES, CLOTHING TO BE PROVIDED, DAYS OFF, ETC.
- 6. DSD IS A BUREAUCRATIC MONSTROSITY, STAFFED BY
  POLICEMEN WITH NO ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE TO HANDLE
  ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS. THE EXPERIENCES OF WESTERN
  AND THIRD WORLD EMBASSIES WHICH DO NOT PROVIDE FOR THEIR OWN
  NEEDS VARIES. ALL ARE AGREED, HOWEVER, THAT DSD IS
  ONE OF MORE FRUSTRATING ASPECTS OF LIFE IN BUDAPEST.
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